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**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)  
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Address to:  Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box CPA Washington, DC 20231	Attorney Docket No. Of Prior Application	Merritt, Harry C.
	First Named Inventor	Harry C. Merritt
	Examiner Name	Kurt C. Rowan
	Group Art Unit	3646
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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d),  
(continued prosecution application (CPA) of prior application number 09/833,519  
filed on 04-21-2001 entitled FLY CASTING TRAINING DEVICE

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1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior provisional application.
2. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4) ☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:  
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b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
5. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:  
a. ☐ PTO-1449  
b. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c) or (j))	20	-20* =	x \$ _____ =	\$ 0
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b) or (i))	3	-3** =	x \$ _____ =	0
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ _____ =	0
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16)	750.00
				Total of above Calculations =	750.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 Cfr 1.27).				
	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent. ** Reissue independent claims over original patent.			TOTAL =	\$375.00

6. ☒ Small entity status: Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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- c. ☐ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.18.
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10. ☐ Applicant requests suspension of action under 37 CFR 1.103(b) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months (not to exceed 3 months) and the fee under 37 CFR 1.17(I) is enclosed.
11. ☐ New Attorney Docket Number, if desired \_\_\_\_\_  
(prior application Attorney Docket Number will carryover to this CPA unless a new Attorney Docket Number has been provided herein.)
12. a. ☐ Receipt for Facsimile Transmitted CPA (PTO/SB/29A)
- b. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (Should be specifically itemized, See MPEP 503)
13. ☐ Other

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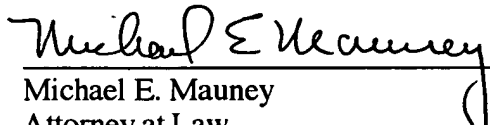
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a Patent Office form entitled CPA Request Transmittal, filed to request a Continued Prosecution Application in the above patent application. Enclosed along with this form is a check for three hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$375.00), the filing fee for a small entity, a Return Receipt postcard, and a certificate of mailing by Express Mail. If anything further is required from me, please advise me immediately. Than you very much for you immediate attention of this.

This the 4 day of Feb, 2003.

  
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